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BY FACSIMILE

The Honorable Jacob J. Lew
Director
Office of Management and Budget
Washington, D.C. 20503

Dear Director Lew:

This letter follows up on my June 9, 1999 letter about the Paperwork Reduction Act. For our oversight needs, I requested that, starting July 1st, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) keep detailed and complete records about OMB's role in government-wide paperwork reduction.

For the July 1st through September 30th quarter, please provide a chart in the exact format shown in the Attachment to this letter identifying any substantive change to an agency paperwork submission made by OMB and each additional paperwork reduction candidate independently identified by OMB.

Your response should be delivered to the Subcommittee majority staff in B-377 Rayburn House Office Building and the minority staff in B-350A Rayburn House Office Building not later than noon on Friday, November 19, 1999. If you have any questions about this request, please call Professional Staff Member Barbara Kahlow on 226-3058. Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,



David M. McIntosh
Chairman

Subcommittee on National Economic Growth,
Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs

Attachment

cc: The Honorable Dan Burton
The Honorable Dennis Kucinich

OMB Changes to Agencies' Proposed and Existing Paperwork Burden

Agency	# of Agency PRA Submissions with Any Substantive Change Made by OMB	OMB #s (if any) of Each Agency PRA Submission with Any Substantive Change Made by OMB	For Each PRA Submission in Column 3, Brief Description of Substantive Change(s) Made by OMB	# of Paperwork Reduction Candidates Added by OMB	OMB #s of Each Paperwork Reduction Candidate Added by OMB
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Justice					
Labor					
State					
Transportation					
Treasury (except IRS)					
Treasury/IRS					
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FEMA					
NASA					
NSF					
NRC					
OPM					
SBA					
SSA					
Other Executive Branch Agencies					
Independent Regulatory Commissions					
TOTAL					